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In re Application of: LIZARRALDE et al. )  
Serial No.: 10/706,317 ) Group Art Unit: 3641  
Filed: November 12, 2003 ) Examiner: KNOX, Stewart T.  
For: MUZZLE-LOADING FIREARM )  
WITH PIVOTING BLOCK ACTION )

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
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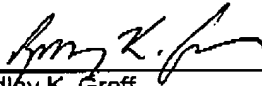
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Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction/Election Requirement mailed October 28, 2005. This response is believed to be timely, so no extension of time is needed. If any extension is required, please consider this a petition therefor. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1513.

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